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	: VECTORS, TRANSFORMED PLANTS		
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT (37 CFR 1.121)

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Sir:

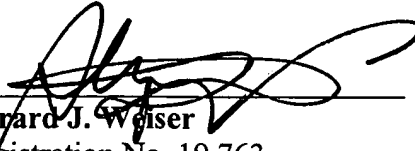
The following and the appended amendment "In The Claims" section are submitted in response to the Notice of Non-Complaint Amendment dated August 22, 2004. Applicant hereby claims a one-month extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136(a), lengthening the time of response from August 9, 2004 to September 9, 2004. The claim of extension and fee are attached. No additional fee is believed to be due. However, if any fee is required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this response to Deposit Account No. 13-3405.

The amendment first response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment submitted on August 9, 2004 was deemed non-compliant because the status of claims 81, 107 and 122 were not clearly shown. The currently submission clearly states the status of each of the claims and thereby brings the the "In the Claims" section of the Amendment into compliance.

Applicant believes that this amendment has brought the Response to compliance.

Respectfully submitted,
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